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KING GEORGE.

Personal and Other Items of Interest (Correspondence of The Free Lance.

King George U. H., July 27, '99. York city, who has been visiting his ever take place, now is the time to dis

Mr. Freeland Mason, of Washington, Major and Mrs. J. J. Mason, at Cleveland, has returned.

Church South, held last week in Trinity | side of Kinsale. The question is grow M. E. Church, in our village, was at- ing in interest, and it may be that tended by immense crowds-able and vote on the subject may be asked for by quent sermons were preached. The the people ree dinners served were most tempting | Who shall represent the counties and profuse, and the hospitality dis- (Northumberland and Westmoreland) played was only equaled by the beauty in the next House of Delegates, is of the many fair women present. Mrs. W. W. Mountjoy, of New York

s visiting Mrs. Jemima Mountjoy. Mr. Roy Mason left Monday by following. He is well known through teamer, for a trip to Washington. Mrs. Rose T. Hunter, who has been business element. The name of Mr. W.

returned to Washington.

Mr. Charles C. Stuart, of New Or- Then we hear the name of J. G. Gould eans, who has been with the army in | man, who resides above Colonial Beach, Cuba for the past ten months, is visit- spoken of favorably. So it is seen that ing his aunt, Mrs. Rosalie E Stuart, while old Westmoreland claims it as her

meet Major Peatross, of Caroline coun- not feel embarrassed by a lack of matety, who attended the conference last rial from which to select, and 'tis likely week-the Major looks almost as young | when the convention meets to settle as when he and I were comrades in the this question the contest for the House gallant old 30th Va. Infantry Mr. C Calvert Stuart, of Baltimore

is visiting his mother at Cedar Grove. Miss Roberta Ansley, who has been visiting Miss Margaret Stuart at Cedar | they have been for some weeks taking Grove, returned to her home in Alex- advantage of the Normal. They speak andria this morning.

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"Secretary Alger," said Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, who was Secretary of War under the Harrison administration, speaking to a Wash ington Post reporter, "was Secretary of War during the conduct of the most successful war in the history of the United States. It achieved the greatest results in the shortest possible space of time. Its quick and victorious conclusion, while he was at the head of his department, is a fact that stands out most prominently and cannot be disputed. Of course, there were mistakes. There are always mistakes, but in this particular war the mistakes were infinitesimal compared with the great results that were accomplished.

Secretary Alger," continued the Senator, speaking deliberately and it was a success. A neat sum was realwith emphasis, " has been compelled | ized to pay off a small debt remaining to endure a series of undeserved, not to say brutal, assaults. He did not deserve the harsh things which were said of him, but he bore them bravely, standing manfully under the abuse which might otherwise have daughters of Hon. Robt. J. Washingbeen thrown at the President. Time will vindicate him. There will be a friends in a most enjoyable and unique reaction in his favor.

" I say these things all the more thinking in our party. I am no apologist for him. I do not want to be drawn into any controversy, but I hope I may never hesitate to do justice to any man."

A new industry in Kansas is the and rhythm of step. The contest was nanufacture of salt. A large deposit thoroughly amusing, and so well did has been discovered on the line of the the couples do their part that it was Santa Fe Railroad, near the town of hard to decide for a while who deserved Hutchinson, in the central part of the the cake. Finally it was awarded Miss State, which the local geologists claim Bessie Washington and Mr. Fayette to be the largest in the world. More Greenlaw. So fully was this occasion than \$3,000,000 has already been in- enjoyed that the young people are alvested in plants to purify it, and the ready planning another "walk" very output last year reached nearly 2,000,-

neighborhood attended District Confer WESTMORELAND. ence in King George last week, and al report having had a most enjoyable time in every respect. Those who

heard Bishop Wilson were delighted

with his elequent sermons, which were

Rev. Wilbur Davis, of lower West-

noreland, accompanied by his brother,

Mr. Harvey Bailey, of Kinsale, was

ie was a delegate to the conference.

Rev. W. H. Ware spent a short time

Mrs. Elizabeth Edgerton, of Balti-

Misses Mattie and Florence, are visit-

Mrs. Marx and her two lovely daugh-

ters, of New York, are summering at

their pretty country home, near here.

nore, is a guest of Miss Kate Stiff.

Mr. Lawrence Washington, returned

last evening from attending the Nor-

ome in Washington.

Miss Lillian Brock, who has been

John, stopped in our village last week

welcome them both.

Correspondence of The Free Lance. Montross, Va., July 27, 1899.

Monday, it being the regular term of en route to and returning from District the new and old officers of the county umor. The outside green represented

and returning from King George, where loud in their praises of the hospitality of a lively speculative aspect in the shap of water melons, cider, oysters and with Mr. Robt. Marshall and family, pocked crabs, also the sale of severa his wife's relatives, last week, on his horses to highest bidder by Crier Atwill. We note a sharp decline in the way to conference. forse market, about 3 p. m. when one was knocked out at 50 cents, the bidder more, and her two charming daughters,

eclining to take bim.

The moving of the county seat from ing Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wilson at Montross to Nomini Ferry was spoken Wakefield. of by many, and strong reasons given for such a move. It seems to be popular with most citizens, and when we remember the county has appropriated \$7,000 for improvements in her public Mr. Clifford Mountjoy, a bright buildings, it would seem that if a difnember of the legal profession of New | ferent location is anticipated, or wil mother, Mrs. Jemima Mountjoy, at cass and settle the matter. It is the her pretty home, near the Court House, opinion of your correspondent and a number of others, who reside near Monross, that such a change would work who has been visiting his parents, to the interest of the county and result mal in your city. in a thriving town at Nomini, where The District Conference of the M. E. | ness activity than any other point, out

Widow of the General Objects to a Reproduction of the Gettysburg Charge at a Fair. The suggestion that a reproduction of Pickett's famous charge at Gettys burg be made a feature of a shan

battle at the Georgia State Fair has elicited from the General's widow, Mrs. Lasalle Corbell Pickett, a letter of protest, which she sends to the Washington Post. After speaking of the great suspense and anguish esting. Ex-Mayor S. B. Atwell is prominently spoken of and has a large with which the people of both North and South awaited the decision of those three most awful days in hisout the two counties, especially by th tory." Mrs. Pickett says: To the whole nation that past i risiting relations in the the county, has R. Crabb, of The Hague, is also men sacred. The tears of the widows and tioned and is very p pular, especially

the orphans left by those terrible days bave scalded their way through the life of the country. To the spot where Reynolds fell in the dawn of gives the business personal attention the great battle the North turns with sorrow and with love. By the sacred place where our noble Armistead, with his hand on the enemy's gun, went home to meet the warrior's God, we of the South stand with rev time to place a candidate in the field Your correspondent was pleased to to represent the two counties, she does erent feet and souls filled with solemn "To those of us for whom the wounds of Gettysburg yet bleed, the

suggestion of a mimic representation of that great struggle brings a chill of horror. Those of us to whom the life blood which nourishes the daisies Miss Rose Porter and Miss Bessie Muse returned from Fredericksburg last blooming royally on the greatest batevening by Weems Line steamer, where tlefied of the modern world was more precious than if it had flowed in our own veins, can but shrink from the very highly of Fredericksburg and retearing away of the curtain which time has thrown around our holiest port being more than pleased with the delightful time spent in the hospitable and saddest memories. " The old South has passed. The

desecrated to make a holi-

Will Tour the World.

Mr. Alfred G. Vanderbilt began

his tour of the world just before noon

on Tuesday last, when he left the

home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, at Newport, Rhode Island, where he expects to

figish his trip fourteen weeks hence.

Young Vanderbilt's departure was

quiet, as all those interested in him

There was a family gathering for breakfast at the Breakers, then a word or two of goodbye, and Mr. Al-fred Vanderbilt, with Mr. W. Fitz-

hugh Whitehouse, Jr., got into a

light trap and drove to the yacht

Friends sent flowers down to the

day."-New York Times.

wished it should be.

and beautiful 'Burg. new South has wrested from defeat a Westmoreland was threatened with a victory more glorious than was ever dry spell, which at this stage would known to conquer. Yet in the new she forgets not the old. Her memo seriously affect the crop of corn, and ries are the sacred relic of her great many farmers were becoming restless and uneasy, but at this writing we are tragedy. There is one memory which fixmes in lines of fire across the record of her sad, storm-blown noble having a delightful rain and the prospect is good for the heaviest corn crop past—the memory of Gettysburg. She asks that its glory and its terror grown here in many years.

Hon, W. W. Walker, we are sorry to note, is in bid health and left for Baltimore some days since, accompanied by his son, U. Harding Walker, for medical treatment.

Entertainments-Personals, Etc.

(Correspondence of The Free Lance.) Oak Grove, Va., July 25th, 1899.

This pleasant neighborhood has, as usual in summer time, been quite gay lately, and many social events are booked for August. The young people are, as usual, , "on pleasure bent," and as this is a leisure season even those of "older growth" join in most heartily to make the guests in the neighborhood enjoy their summer outing.

club landing, where they boarded Mr. Elbridge T. Gerry's yacht the Electra. Mr. Robert L. Gerry soon On the 20th instant the Junior Order of Mechanics gave a charming lawn joined them, with Mr. Potter Pal mer, Jr., and on the swift yacht pu party and evening entertainment at out of the harbor at noon bound for their pretty lodge here, which was in New York, where his companions will see Mr. Vanderbilt off. every way a success. A large crowd gathered at an early hour, and it "goes without saying" that everybody had a yacht for Mr. Vanderbilt and Mr. Whitehouse, but special efforts were delightful time. From a social standpoint, it was charming, and financially made to keep the start free from anything that would tend to make it on the hall, which was erected a few months ago.

seem more than a departure upon an ordinary run to London or Paris.

In New York, Mr. Ernest Iselin, Jr., Columbia, '98, son of Mr. Adrian Iselin, Jr., Mr. William P. Burden, A few evenings ago Misses Bessie and Fannie Washington, the charming son of Mr. James A Burden, and Mr. Douglass Cochran, Harvard, '99, who ton, entertained a large number of their was a classmate of Mr. Burden, will meet Mr. Vanderbilt, and unless the manner by having a cake walk at their party be changed before the train beautiful home, "Campbleton." We starts, will accompany him on his readily because Secretary Alger and understand that the 'cake walk' is tour, which was planned by the I have not been in the same way of one of the fads of the day, and these young men some time ago, and sancone of the fads of the day, and these tioned by their fathers as a means of up-to-date young people usually follow rounding out their education. the fashion. The aim of each couple Their friends say that the travelers that took part in "the walk" was to have some plans for hunting big imitate the movements of the darkey, game in Africa and elsewhere, but yet at the same time to combine grace the older cottagers assert that any such hazardous proceeding has been forbidden by their parents. They will travel by private car over the Grand Central road to Montreal. Thence, by the Canadian Pacific

road, they will go to Vancouver, and thence by steamer to Japan There does not seem to be any dates or definite plans for the rest of the tripready planning another "walk" very

The turists apparently will go almost everywhere and anywhere, and
finith their journey in Octo's, 1900.

CAROLINE,

Personal Items and Other Notes.

Correspondence of The Free Lance.) Bowling Green, Va., July 27, 1899. Rev. W. F. Haves and Mai. R. O. Peatross returned on Friday night from the court. No cases of note occupied Conference. Our people were glad to the District Conference, which consened at King George C. H., this year. They bring good reports from the difalso a guest here last week, going to ferent charges in the District and are

> the people of King George. Miss Mollie Wallace, of Richmond, is the guest of her friend, Mrs. T. B. Gill, at her home at Milford,

Mr. W. G. Coghill and family were mong those who went down on the excursion to Old Point on Thursday. Rev. E. H. Rowe has returned to his home here, from a delightful visit to Elmwood, Mass., much improved in health.

Mrs Ellen Downing left on Monday for Hinton, W. Va , where she will remain for some time with her brother, Judge Hudgin.

visiting Misses Sadie Washington and Charlotte Taylor, has returned to her Mr. Charlie Lee, who conducted a drog business here, for some time, but is now traveling for a Baltimore house, FIRE, LIFE, ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY Miss Anna Quesenberry, of Baltiis in our midst, spending several days Miss Elsie Washington, daughter of at the "Lawn.

Miss Maria Gray, of Spotsylvania, pent several days of last week with the family of Judge E. C. Moncure. On last Friday night the F. N. Club had a delightful moonlight picuic at Broaddus' mill pond, which was much 277 I REPRESEMT ONLY THE

enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Lina Baker left on Monday for Best, Strong, Old Fire Penola, where she will remain for some ime with friends.

Mr. Arthur Thornton, of Port Royal, accompanied by Miss Jennie Powers, passed through here, en route to Rich Mr. Archie Williams, of Essex, is

the guest of Dr. R. T. Glassell and Mr. W. A. Hardaway, of Blackstone,

spent Sunday in town with friends. Mr. Julian S. Lake, of Hampton spent Sunday and Monday with his family, who are summering here.

Miss Clara Chewning, who has been visiting friends at Penola, has returned to the "Lawn." Mrs. John Hart and two little child-

ren are spending some time with her parents here. Mrs. Hart was called back to her home in Richmond, on Saturday, by the sickness of Prof. Hart. Mrs. Stella French, of Gwathmey, pent Sunday in town with the family

of Mr. A. B. Chandler. Master Allen Valentine, of Richmond, is spending some time with friends in town.

The new gas, which has recently been put into the Methodist Church, is a great improvement.

Mr. Lewis Vincent has returned to his home here, from a visit of several days to friends in Norfolk. Mr. J. H. Davies and family are

spending several days with friends in Washington. Dr. J. D. Butler, of Sparta, was in

own on Monday, attending the meeting of the Board of Supervisors. Mr. Archie Peatross came up on his wheel from Hanover on Saturday, and spent Sunday at his home here.

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